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- (X) A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(2)) has been communicated by the International Bureau.
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- (X) An English translation of the International Application as filed is attached hereto.
- (X) Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(3)) have not been and will not be made.
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- (X) Preliminary Amendment in 5 pages.
- (X) Recordation form cover sheet and Assignment in 3 total pages (cover sheet & assignment).
- (X) An Information Disclosure Statement and PTO/SB/08 equivalent listing references for consideration:
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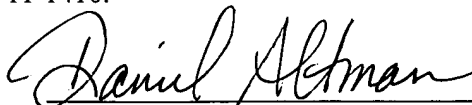
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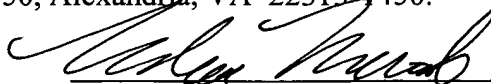
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